

## ABSTRACT OF THE INVENTION

The invention relates to an umbrella rib assembly of a foldable  
5 umbrella, particularly a five-folded umbrella, which includes a first rib to  
fifth rib and several branch ribs and elastic ribs. It is characterized in  
that the third rib has formed a bending portion at inner end near to the  
second rib. While the umbrella is closed and folded, the fourth rib can  
be fallen beside pivoted end of the second rib and the third rib that  
10 decreases the closed volume of the umbrella. So the closed umbrella is  
very conveniently for carrying or storing.